Evidence of Normal Mind Should Be Required Before License Is Issued.

OF FEEBLE-MINDED

Startling Facts and Suggestions in Report of State Board of Charities.

Virginia needs a marriage law requiring a clean bill of health and evinence of a normal mind before a ligense is issued. Such is the deliberate judgment of the State Board of Chari-ties and Corrections, expressed in F-unnual report to the Governor, ma-public yesterday. This conclusion reached after a careful study and ay vestigation into the number of feeo-minded and defectives in this Stay and the conditions surrounding 8 birth and their position in the hich

While this reasoning may pos-While this reasoning may pos-rather advanced, it is the co-of many men and women w Prest-devoted time and research to ject that the feeble-minded Deeper women should be so treated a neodore it impossible for them to it was the world children who the feetest, and so pass their defects, and so pass generations to come, a cc. On the den on the community an Roosevelt themselves.

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The Policind everybody will agree charge doubt that any considman and nally, the canneries or anywhere he point was a good one, so its made by The Colonel, so

Thisne stuck to his text, points the matter is viewed by the mob by the law-abiding people of the

form with the fundamental law of the pression upon the intrepid exploror, land." The Colonel proceeded to "inand shown him how uncertain and terpret" his meaning by denouncing evanescent are the honors of this within its bedizened walls and under pean countries divorce is almost unthe Courts of New York and the Superme Court of the United States for certain of their decisions, which, he said, "have thrown what have proved well-nigh or altogether insurmount-cable obstacles in the path of needed planted the flag of his country at the social reforms." One of these decisions world, within its bedizened walls and under its flaring lamps and gorgeous fluming the flag flamps and gorgeous fluming the flag flamps and gorgeous fluming the flag flamps and gorgeous fluming the flamps and gorge

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so; but "after due deliberation," if they ernmental policy" without orderly prodemands, to be effective, must be measured by some well defined rule of moment," to use one of The Colonel' most striking phrases, cannot "be transmitted into a permanent policy" that "the only ultimate safety for our people is in self-control, not in con-

Though holding, as he claimed that the judiciary of this country, as a any other collective body of citizens, The Colonel would yet make the judi clary responsive to every passing whin of popular thought, to every "demand" made upon it by the immature, the incapable or the corrupt.

d to drift, however, from his California in voting for the radical so much of it as ever goes as far away receive for his first year's service, amendment of the State Constitution from home as Beston; but it also has it is utterly impossible for the poor that occasion."

Johnson stayed away, probably; but to delightful place, the corruption of posed primary election in Texas, and he should not seek after the event to the restaurant habit in New York it should not bind any one to be govhe yet vociferated his contempt for it, blame the President for his own lack having now spread to the Back Bay. erned by its results. of decency by saying that the Presi- Heretofore dining out at a restaurant would be the best way of escaping asserting that "the whole movement body at the manquet" should reflect something was not right at home. "For and party tyranny in the political af-

this power of judicial interpretation pearance in that community about two in by way of recreation or friendly enof statutes to see whether they con- years ago must have made a deep im- tertainment."

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passed without such would be declared understand the Courts. His addition just as he had beaton him to the Court of Appeals of New a unanimous opinion, defact unconstitutional. The another bill was passed by York Legislature, and it was by the unanimous opinion of art of Appeals to be unconstit, because in the opinion of the when a health law is challenged.

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"when a health law is challenged judgments of his own people, he sought Mr. Rennolds is right, of course, it when a health law is challenged on such seclusion as he could find any, is better to pay a small lax for pers with personal liberty and private face of the earth, seeking to repair much larger tell for bad roads. perty without the due process of his shattere, strength and to prepare himself for his final appeal for jusgave him life and courage he will be It is hoped that the Copenhagen pe ple will hear him for his cause.

"The tariff on sugar benefits nobody

That is a very good idea, and if retail sellers of other articles in common demand would follow fuit they would be more popular, and they would, in addition, be tearing down

## A great hotel is now under construc-

"Th t Carolina Ticknor, in a letter to the enter a race where the law permit, be marred, we absented ourselves on this immense hotel threatens the de- that for the purpose of getting a place struction of domestic life of Beston, in the public service. It was just as well that Governor always the chief charm of that hither-

ground that it arbitrarily inter- where and became a wanderer on the manent good roads than to may a very view of the impending universal spread

and the Houston Post, strange to say, is taking an intelligent view of the culty in the way is one of finance treasurership race in Rockingham mary may go far toward defeating it. Our objection to the proposition would test against the historical inaccuracy be deeper than that-it is unnecessary, of Woodrow Wilson in the matter of it is wasteful, it is "political," it is the When the grocer, the clothier and Democratic nowadays. The point made in the great war in this country finds everything eise to eat. They are now election fully represent the will of should printing on their retail sugar bags the the people, every polling place in the such an important event in the Civi mary election was held three years Dr. "The tariff on sugar benefits nobody it the Sugar Trust. Were it not for the tariff and the trust this package ould cost you two cents a pound set. Urge your Congressman to vote the removal of the tariff on sugar, he doesn't do it, don't return him Congress. It isn't our fault."

The tariff on sugar benefits nobody many election was held three years ago for delegates-at-large to the National Convention, there were some education to the countries in which polls were not opened at all, and there was scarcely a county in the State in which all the precincts were opened.

\$60,000 to hold such an election as that now proposed, and this money must be contributed either by the candi dates or by the people. The candibenefit to the people has ever been North State locates a man's cradle in tion in Boston. It will stand on Cop-ley Square, with Trinity Church on where. There is already too much as a slat." Why should one hand and the Public Library on the election machinery, too many elecother. It will have four entrances, tions, too many unworthy and inemwill cover more ground than one of clent men nominated and elected to ing to dispossess her of her the largest and most expensive places office, and, instead of increasing the in New York, and will cost \$3,000,000, burdens, there should be an effort to Hiram Johnson, Governor of Cali- Its main dining-room will be oval in simplify the methods of naming the fornia, did not attend the dinner given shape, and the ball-room will have a candidates and filing the offices. Unthe Panama Exposition in San Fran- wall flowers with which the town of the campaign expenses of a candidate the campaign expenses of a candidate report hous. The people who cannot take might have said something at the din- in the direction of progress, and is to exceed \$10,000—\$2,500 more than the ner about the action of the people of be welcomed by the general public, or salary the successful candidate would subject, and it was in the way at the recent election, "in concurrence a forbidding aspect, as we are told by man, whatever his qualifications, to the serenity of the occasion might not Hartford Courant, that the building of the expenditure of so much money as To the

treme necessity never to be indulged had in 1990 a population of more than

There is no European country with

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Country.	divorces.	Per 100,000 population.
Austria	179	1
France	8,864	13
German Empire	8,680	15
Great Britain		6
Hongary	49. 4. 49. 41	11
Italy	819	3
Japan	93.949	215
Norway		6
Sweden	390	8
Switzerland	1.053	32

The Chase City Progress says, in of equal suffrage for women;

THE PRIMARY IN TEXAS.
They are talking now in Texas about a Presidential and Senatorial primary, and the Houston Post strategy in the Suffragiats can hardle.

Hot polities in Tabasco, Mexico, now,

Colonel William H. Stewart's pro-

In the next edition of his History Wilson ought to correct his mistake; but the wonder is that he should ever have made it

Rain on, kind Heavens, rain on, rain on until the Winter shall cut with It is estimated that it would cost land. There was "no game," again, yes chilling blast all the bleachirs in the

Bailey, who is a native, says that there will be persons to dispute the claim or 'Squire Kerr, of Mooresville, would be foolish to stand it. Nothing that General Sam Houston was born in would be gained by it; nothing of North Carolina; "but when the Old Why should she give away anything

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Great Britain's crack pole players have sustained a heavy loss through the death of Lord Aberdour, who was also a conspicuous figure on the turi, and on steeplechase tracks. He was the clost son and per of the nine-

much as a slat." Why should she give away anything to other States when they are all trying to dispossess her of her most cherished traditions?

Where is the old-mashioned man who know things by heart? In these days memorizing is a lost art, but the other day an aged man came in and quoted an entire editorial article of this paper published eight years ago and also paragraphs from other 8thch articles.

Voice of the People

Calls for investigation.

To the Guitor of The Times-Dispatch: for years in special or the leading papers of this State, and of the leading papers of great servers to the Demoring you this, hoping that therefore to the Demoring you this, hoping that therefore to the paper and also give your paper the columns the people of the State may be apprised of what is being done that and also give your paper the term so will easily and therefore will be apprised of what is being done that and also give your paper the term so will easily and therefore will be apprised of what is being done the political situation in the matter as you described will be apprised of what is being done that and also give your paper the term so will easily and the political situation in the matter as you described will be apprised of what is being done the political situation in the matter as you described will be apprised of what is being done the political situation in the matter as you described will be provided as a paper of the political situation in the matter as you described will be provided as a paper of the information I can gather that Min. R. R. K. Brock was duly noninitated in the information I can gather that Min. R. R. R. Brock was duly noninitated in the information I can gather that Min. Representation of the information I can gather than the information I can gather than the political situation I can gather than the political situation in the matter as you described to the provided tha

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